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## Kinkade and Dymott Top Honor Roll

Two students rated all "E's" in their courses last semester, according to the honor roll released by Miss Margaret Mitchell, Registrar. Geraldine Kinkade and Charles Dymott, both sophomores, made a 3.0 average. Miss Geraldine Kinkade is the daughter of Mrs. Charles R. Kinkade, Route 1, Neosho, Missouri. Mr. Charles Dymott is married and lives at 3028 Joplin, Joplin, Missouri.

Students to be eligible for Honor Roll must carry at least twelve hours of college credit plus physical education for each semester and grades must average 2.0 or better. The honor points are determined according to this scale: A grade of E gives 3 honor points per credit (a 3 hour course with grade of E would give 9 honor points); a grade of S gives 2 honor points per credit; a grade of M gives 1 honor point per credit. The scholastic average is determined by dividing the number of credits earned this semester into the number of honor points accumulated. For example: 15 credits divided into 33 honor points gives a scholastic average of 2.2.

Sophomores	Ave.
Dymott, Charles, Joplin.....	3.0
Kinkade, Geraldine, Neosho.....	3.0
Hamilton, Barbara, Joplin.....	2.8
VanFleet, Paul, Galena.....	2.68
Wyrick, James, Joplin.....	2.67
Daves, Charles, Joplin.....	2.58
Everhard, Janice, Granby.....	2.57
Rataczak, Jean, Joplin.....	2.53
Wood, Cleo, Joplin.....	2.47
Kennedy, Wylene, Joplin.....	2.43
Pflug, Marjorie, Joplin.....	2.37
Lawson, Dorothy, Seneca.....	2.31
Muhlenburg, Joann, Joplin.....	2.31
Braeckel, Celia, Joplin.....	2.25
McKinney, John D., Noel.....	2.18
Russell, Wm., Joplin.....	2.18
Greer, Bill T., Diamond.....	2.13
Palmer, Geneva, Webb City.....	2.07
Hoyt, Ronald, Neosho.....	2.0
Osbourne, Claude.....	2.0

Freshmen	Ave.
Zabsky, Harold, Joplin.....	2.75
Wallace, Jack, Joplin.....	2.68
Gilstrap, Dean, Joplin.....	2.66
Weithoner, Eugene, Carthage.....	2.62
Conner, Harold, Webb City.....	2.56
Dunham, Larry D., Carthage.....	2.53
Huercamp, Geneva, Joplin.....	2.53
Roland, Shirley, W. C.....	2.52
Chaney, James, Anderson.....	2.5
Olinger, Muryl, Joplin.....	2.5
Hirshey, Doris, Diamond.....	2.4
Martin, Norma June, Joplin.....	2.4
Vaughan, Edward, Joplin.....	2.37
Russell, Arthur E. Galena.....	2.31
Wood, Catherine, Joplin.....	2.31
Chadwell, Elizabeth, W. C.....	2.2
Kirchner, James, Carthage.....	2.2
Megee, Elsie, Joplin.....	2.2
Bauer, Clyde, Joplin.....	2.18
Bogardus, Phyllis, Carthage.....	2.18
Morgan, Gene, Joplin.....	2.18
Plaster, Robert Wayne, Neosho.....	2.13
Cantrell, Norma, Carthage.....	2.12
Hendrickson, Richard, Carthage.....	2.12
Shellhorn, Dale, Webb City.....	2.11
Mosher, Patricia, Joplin.....	2.06
Branham, Barbara, Neosho.....	2.0
Craig, Hugh E., Joplin.....	2.0
Farthing, Joe, Joplin.....	2.0
Galloway, Jo Ita, Joplin.....	2.0
Haslett, Linda, Joplin.....	2.0
Koehler, George, Joplin.....	2.0
Morgan, Jack, Duenweg.....	2.0
Swearingen, Dorothy, Carthage.....	2.0

## YWCA To Present Challenge to the Cross

As a result of numerous requests for the repetition of the "The Challenge of the Cross," the YWCA will present this effective Easter pageant, which they did two years ago, at the regular assembly hour on April 5.

To support the actors and to set the stage for this presentation, several committees have been appointed. Working on the programs are Elsie Megee, Geneva Palmer, Emma Morton, Barbara Branham, Martha Phillips, and Jean Richards. Dixie Farris is responsible for the costumes, while Jean Rataczyk, Joe Ita Galloway and Nancy Anne Williams will take care of the staging. June Sillaway and Phyllis Bogardus will handle the publicity.

The characters you will actually see are Loretta Gullette, Carolyn Jenkins, Lynn Harpole, Mary Walker, Sara Wells, Mary DeVillers and Marjorie Pflug. These will be assisted by the Triple Trio composed of Pat Mosher, Marcela Tharpe, Shirley Roland, Janice Everhard, Barbara Hamilton, Donna Nevitt, Joan Norton, Celia Braeckel and Wylene Kennedy. The accompanist will be Patt True.

The Easter assembly is one of the most impressive of the whole year. Everyone should be present.

## Zabsky Wins Chemistry Award

Harold Zabsky, freshman chemistry student, was awarded a copy of the thirty-first edition of THE HANDBOOK OF CHEMISTRY AND PHYSICS after the close of the first semester. The award was made to the student in Chemistry I who totaled the highest number of grade points in the course. On the front cover of the book are engraved in gold letters the words "Achievement Award, Freshman Chemistry, First Semester 1949, Joplin Junior College." The award was made possible by the generosity of the Chemical Rubber Publishing Company of Cleveland, Ohio.

Gene Morgan, whose average was only slightly lower, was the second-ranking student in Chemistry I.

## Students Urged to Take Chest X-rays

Chest X-rays will be taken at Webb City Monday afternoon, March 27. Busses will load at the west door of the Junior College at one o'clock. Please sign as you get on the bus. This service is free to all JJC students. We hope that you will take advantage of the opportunity offered you.

If you think you cannot possibly go the afternoon of March 27, and you would like to go at a later date, please sign the list in the office here. IN ANY CASE, IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GO TO WEBB CITY FOR A CHEST X-RAY, COME INTO THE OFFICE AND SIGN THE LIST ANY TIME BEFORE MARCH 27.

If you go by private car, be sure to wait outside the hospital, quietly, until the bus arrives. Then all will go in together.

## Noted Psychologist Visits J. J. C.

On Wednesday, February 15, J. J. C. was transformed into a personality clinic by the skill of Dr. Raymond A. Schwegler, dean emeritus of the school of education of the University of Kansas and consulting psychologist and lecturer. Had classes not called



them away, students could easily have spent the entire day in listening to this magnetic speaker.

From nine to ten o'clock individual student conferences were held with Dr. Schwegler. During the regular assembly period he spoke before a large gathering of students, faculty and visitors. His topic was "It Makes or It Breaks You" with reference to personality.

He said that personality is based on wanting security, freedom and recognition, but when these wants are thwarted persons react by fear, anger, hostility, or despondence. Dr. Schwegler stressed the fact that "success in life depends only 15% on intelligence and 85% on personality. "Intelligence is inherited and cannot be changed, whereas personality depends on acquired habits and may be changed if desired." Those attending were shocked to learn that out of every one hundred of them, fifteen would spend some time in a mental institution because of their conflicting habits.

According to this psychologist, it is your personal appearance that sells you, not what you really are. However, it is your personality that keeps your image in the minds of the people you meet.

Dr. Schwegler stated that he could give the following epitaph for anyone in the audience:

Born—  
Spent all his time running after the things he wanted  
and  
ducking all the things he didn't want and then—  
he died.

After the assembly Dr. Schwegler conducted a group conference in the college auditorium. At noon he addressed a joint meeting of the YWCA and YMCA. His theme was "Love Thy Neighbor as Thyself." He brought out that it is the people who follow this rule that are responsible for building schools, churches, recreation centers, and other worthwhile projects. During his talk Dr. Schwegler repeated a rather fascinating statement which he had made in his assembly address—"This is the first time you have been as old as you are today." (Please turn to Page 4, Column 2)

## Students Present First Recital

On Sunday afternoon, February 26, Mr. Oliver Sovereign presented five of his pupils in a song recital. The students sang to an appreciative audience that almost filled the auditorium.

The varied selections, ranging from light opera tunes to the heavier classical works of Handel, were capably handled by the students.

Adding to the appreciation and enjoyment of the audience, were the brief histories and explanations of the foreign numbers, given by the singers.

The following students participated in the recital:

Merel Young, bass-baritone, sang "Preach Not Me Your Musty Rules" by Arne, "Il lacerato spirito" from Verdi's "Simon Boccanegra", and "Pilgrim's Song" by Tchaikowsky.

Shirley Roland, soprano, sang "Rejoice Greatly, O Daughter of Zion" from "The Messiah" by Handel, "L'anneau D'argent", and "L'ete" by Chaminade.

Larry Dunham, bass-baritone, presented "I Attempt From Love's Sickness To Fly" by Purcell, "My Self When Young" from "In a Persian Garden" by Lehmann, and "The Two Grenadiers" by Schumann.

Patricia Mosher, soprano, sang "Caro Nome" from "Rigoletto" by Verdi, "Marie Antoinette's Song", Jacobson, and "At The Well" by Hageman.

John McDonald concluded the program by singing "Hear Me! Ye Winds and Waves" by Handel, "Captain Stratton's Fancy" by Taylor, and "Prologue" from "Pagliacci".

## JJC Cast Begins Rehearsals For Comedy

Rehearsals for "Heaven Can Wait", forthcoming production of the College Players, Junior College dramatic group, started last week in the college auditorium. Mrs. Mary Lynn Jeffers, dramatic instructor at the college, is directing the play, which will be given on three nights, April 20, 21 and 22 in the college auditorium.

The three-act comedy, which was written by Harry Segall, centers around Joe Pendleton, a young prize fighter who is killed in an airplane crash. Pendleton, played by John Holmes, comes to the "heavenly express", which is in charge of Mr. Jordan, played by John McDonald, and protests that it is not his turn to die.

A check of the records shows that he is right and the search by Jordan and Pendleton for a suitable body for Pendleton in which he may again inhabit the earth constitutes the plot of the play.

Other members of the cast are Maurice Morgan, 7013; Joyce Clark, Julia; Gene Davis, Tony; Billie Purkett, Bette; Mary Walker, Mrs. Ames; Bill Russell, Lefty; Gene Morgan, Williams; Mary Carter, Susie; Art Epperson, Max; Art Smith, first escort; Clyde Sumpter, second escort; Brad Spicer, workman; John Demaray, doctor; and Lyn Harpole, Ann and nurse.

Sumpter will be assistant director. Demaray will be stage manager.

## Plans Made For St. Pat Dance

The Y. W. C. A. girls have chosen a St. Patrick's Day dance as the way to earn their share of the money for the World Student Service Fund. The dance, which will be March 17, will be preceded by nine days of electioneering to elect a St. Pat who will reign over the dance. Following the assembly on March 8, anyone in the student body may nominate a boy to run as a candidate. After the nominations have been tallied, the five high will be ready to campaign. Voting will take place at the booth in the main hall as a price of five cents a vote. Anyone can vote as often as he wants to vote, or as long as his nickels hold out.

Realizing the worthiness of this project, we shall be able to help some student through the difficult days of trying to get an education.

Dance tickets will also be sold at the booth for a quarter apiece.

The following committees have been appointed to make arrangements:

Election Committee — Delores Owen, Jean Rataczak, Celia Braeckel.

Music Committee — Mable Sullivan, Marlene McCune. Coronation Committee — Nancy Anne Williams, Mrs. Lucille Downer.

Refreshments — Donna Nevitt, Chalene McClanahan, Minnie Kolkmeyer, Joanne DeArmand, Celia Braeckel.

Decorations — Lynn Harpole, Jo Ita Galloway, Shirley Roland.

Publicity — May Walker, June Sillaway, Bary Noel.

## Girls Plan Play Day

The physical education girls are making plans for a play day, at which time they will entertain several college groups. The girls are setting up a volley ball team and several bowling teams. The day is scheduled for Friday, Mar. 24 at 2:00 p. m. Invitations have been extended to Fort Scott Junior College, Pittsburg State Teachers College and Miami Junior College. Each school will be represented by a volley ball and a bowling team. Round robins will be played in each sport and points given to winners. At the close of the afternoon, points will be tallied and the winner announced. The events will be held at the Y. M. C. A. and The Modern Bowling Alley. Spectators will be welcome.

## FORMER STUDENT SUCCUMBS

The Junior College students and faculty wish to extend their sympathy to the family of Miss Helen Genieve Ummel. Miss Ummel, 24 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Ummel of Carthage route 1, died March 6. She had been ill with a throat infection since December.

Miss Ummel graduated from Joplin Junior College in 1945, and from Missouri University in 1947 where she majored in journalism.

Read the CHART for the news.



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### Your Personality

The theme of the world today is to get the most out of life by getting the most out of your faculties.

In light of this, we employ all of our talents, all our resourcefulness, all our tact and understanding to achieve the goal we have set for ourselves.

In this all out effort, we often overlook the most important factor in achieving success. "Skill", you say? Absolutely "no". As Dr. Schwegler, noted psychologist and lecturer, commented, eighty-five out of every one hundred persons dismissed from their jobs were lacking in good personality traits. This leaves only fifteen who did not have the necessary skill to hold their jobs.

These figures help us to understand the importance of being able to get along with our fellow men. But what can we do about it?

Dr. Schwegler says that our personality is developed as we grow older. It is not like our intelligence, which we have inherited. This means, then, that several factors affecting us everyday, tend to mold our personalities. A few of these influences are environment, locality, religion, health, personal appearances, etc.

Although we can not choose where we shall be born and reared, or who the rest of our family will be, it definitely affects our own personality.

The things that we do have control over, however, such as habits of dress, eating, posture, and conduct should be the ones we should work with to mould a better personality in ourselves. We are the potter and also the clay, where our personalities are concerned.

—Max Livingston

### Let's Not Hate

It's hard not to return hate for hate isn't it? But college students can help to lessen this evil. We are the future America. Our good neighbor policy depends on our attitudes now toward our neighbors at home and abroad.

According to an editorial from the **Christian Science Monitor**, the Russians have adopted a "hate American day". Russia urges its people to take time out from their work to send thought waves of hate against the American people.

These people have been taught to hate and are fast becoming indifferent to brotherly love; they feel that they must constantly be on their guard lest they be overcome by their enemies. Ignorance and unwise leadership are fast becoming the downfall of these people.

As citizens of a so-called Christian nation, we must try to "do unto others as we would have other do unto us." We must not return hate with hate, but return hate with love. We must not hate those who are opposed to what we believe; rather we must tolerate their beliefs, defend our beliefs, and uphold our rights as well as their rights as individuals. We believe we know what is wrong. The whole world is trying to right that wrong within the United Nations' organization.

As students we can't change the attitudes of Russia or the world now, but we will largely determine what the future world will be like. So, logically, to be able to do that we must have an understanding and love for our fellow man. We must send out love. We must not and we can not hope to progress by hating. Let's not hate.

—June Sillaway

### Training and Education

The main difference between training and education lies in the purpose for which each is taught. Training is the developing of skill along lines that will lead the student in becoming efficient in performing a job, occupation, or profession. It will teach the student proposed methods for getting his work done, speed in getting it done, and the manipulation of the devices and machines with which his work is carried on. Training may be taught in the classroom, in the laboratory, or on the job.

—Harold Conner.

### Students Will Be Green On St. Pat's Day

Just a few more days and all the students of JJC will be wearing green, at least everyone of us who claim some Irish descent. Not only students of this college but people in countries all over the world where the Irish have penetrated are celebrating Saint Patrick's Day.

Did you ever wonder what Saint Patrick's Day really is, and who Saint Pat was? Even the emblem, the Shamrock, has a special significance.

Saint Patrick is the patron saint of Ireland, but he was born in Scotland, or in England, or in France. Take your choice, nobody seems to know. St. Pat landed in Ireland in A. D. 432, bringing Christianity with him. The Irish accepted his christianity with enthusiasm, and he became known to them as the one who "found Ireland all heathen and left it all Christian." Naturally legends have grown up about the name of this saint who was so popular among the people. A favorite is the one which "represents him as charming the snakes of Ireland by his music so that they followed him to the seashores, where they were driven into the water and drowned." Most of these oft quoted tales are only legends but there are some relics that were said to have been his. One is a four-sided iron bell, and another is an ancient stone chair on the Rock of Cashel.

What is the significance of the shamrock? The green shamrock is worn by many because St. Pat chose this emblem. They say he chose it because the three leaflets were symbolic of the Trinity. Whether it is true or not that he chose the shamrock as an emblem is not too significant. It is significant that soon it will be time to get out that little symbol. It, like many other things, is a very important part of keeping alive America's traditions. Such influences brought here by just one of the many groups of people, are so much a part of our country and its traditions. If we aren't one of the lucky ones who can claim Irish descent, we can all hope to obtain certain qualities which stand out as characteristic of the Irish. "Witty as an Irishman" is an expression which has a sound basis. This wit enables them to catch the humorous point of view and to express it. Do you know someone whom you admire for his wit? Do you think he is Irish? Could be, but whether he is or not he certainly is setting an example that's hard to copy—using humor in even the sad things.

March 17 is Saint Patrick's Day. Don't forget to get out that shamrock and don those bits of green and help the Irish celebrate. Get into the spirit of the thing. Remember this is the one time of the year when it's popular to be "green".

Literature is the thought of thinking souls.—Carlyle.

Good manners is the art of making those people easy with whom we converse.—Swift.

The first American heavyweight champion of the world was 7 feet 3 inches tall and weighed 320 pounds.

Observe the postage stamp! Its usefulness depends upon its ability to stick to one thing until it gets there.—Billings.

### Faurot Presents Gold Footballs

The Joplin Junior College football lettermen were presented miniature gold footballs Thursday morning, February 23. The Rotary Club sponsored affair was held in the College Auditorium at 11:00 A. M.

Warren Coglizer, President of the Rotary Club, opened the assembly. He told of a great athlete of days gone by, a swimmer, a trackman, a football player and a cage man, the late Harry Pate. Coglizer said the footballs were being presented to the squad in memory of Harry Pate. Pate attended Joplin High School, where he was a four year letterman, and Virginia Military Academy. He was a member of the Rotary Club and one of the men behind the idea of giving Joplin footballers some sort of appreciation from the business men.

Coglizer introduced the main speaker of the day, Don Faurot.

Faurot told a number of jokes. Then he spoke of the University of Missouri and emphasized the importance of academic education, after which he called the lettermen to the stage and presented the footballs.

### JJC Places In Tournament

Ten of the Joplin Junior College girls entered the eleventh Inter-collegiate Telegraphic American 10-pin Tournament for the month of February. The rules for the tournament require that a two game series for the top five of ten be sent to Pennsylvania State College. Any school of higher education is eligible to compete.

The results of the tournament were sent to Mrs. Downer showing that Joplin Junior College ranked seven among the top ten that placed. The scores were as follows:

Iowa State College.....	1652
San Jose State College.....	1589
College of Sequoias.....	1527
The State College of Washington .....	1512
Oklahoma A & M.....	1502
Stephens College .....	1478
Joplin Junior College.....	1473
Bowling Green State Uni.....	1441
University of Illinois.....	1429
Temple University .....	1424

The girls are proud of placing since this is their first tournament and since they were the only Junior College entered. Other entries will be made in the March and April tournaments.

These girls were the top five for February:

Joanne Locke  
Celia Braeckel  
Jackie Hulsey  
Janice Everhard  
Mary Walker

### FACULTY MEMBERS ATTEND CONVENTION

During the Christmas holidays, Miss Margaret Mitchell and Miss Vera Steininger attended the annual convention of the National Business Teachers Association in Chicago. The convention was held at the Palmer House, December 27 to December 31.

Outstanding men and women, leaders in the business education field, spoke on the programs and led the discussion groups and forums. Field trips to the A. B. Dick Company, the Stock Market, Gregg College, various Chicago banks, and other places of interest to business teachers were arranged for by the Chicago Area Business Teachers Association.

### STUDENTS ASKED TO SUPPORT WSSF

The World Student Service Fund is the agency by which American students and professors at the prep school and university level may share materially and intellectually with their needy contemporaries throughout the world. The appeal for funds is made only to college students and professors. The entire program depends on your contributions, which is the only source of income.

Miss Sonia Grodka, traveling secretary of the World Service Fund, promoted through college Christian organizations, spoke to the college YWCA, February 10. She described the situation of the European students, which she has known first hand, and also of those in China, India, and various other parts of the world. Miss Grodka, who herself has been a war refugee, is a native of Germany; she left there with her family in 1937. They lived for a year in France then traveled in Czechoslovakia, Poland, Holland, and Belgium before coming to this country.

The principle which governs distribution of aid is NEED and NEED alone. Last year's funds bought such things as first aid materials, equipment for medical student clinics, necessities for refugees and displaced students, educational supplies (books, publications, laboratory equipment, typewriters, etc.), emergency food and clothing. The theme for this year is "They Still Need You." We in the land of plenty are prone to forget that others are still in want and need our help.

The Junior College YW and YMCA are beginning their annual drives for WSSF. The YMCA opened their drive with a most entertaining mock basketball game between the faculty and members. They earned nearly \$30. The YWCA is planning a St. Patrick's dance to open their drive. Let's all get behind them and promote a good cause. Remember the conditions under which the students of war devastated countries must learn are far from ideal—they are deplorable. Nearly all suffer from malnutrition and tuberculosis; some work and go to school in 23° F weather without adequate clothing and fuel. Educational supplies are inadequate. Thousands are displaced persons in need of medical aid and homes. Support the WSSF in this college. **THEY STILL NEED YOU.**

### Six Place In Contest

Joplin Junior College is proud of the honors that the students of speech won at the Tri-State Forensic Tournament held March 10-11 at St. John's College in Winfield, Kansas.

Six students from the college participated: Billie Purkett, Mary Carter, John Holmes, Bill Russell, John McDonald and Arthur Epper-son.

As a result of eight preliminary tries, five students went to the finals. Each placed in the top ten of each field, with John Holmes taking first place in radio speaking and third in orations.

The students have already begun to make plans to attend the tournament next year.

The speech department is also making plans to re-affiliate with Phi Rho Pi, the National Junior College Forensic Fraternity. If these plans are approved, the six students will be charter members of the local organization.

Read the CHART for the news.



# The Tip Off

Our apologies to Les Allen and Bob Sisk. In the basketball squad picture in the last issue, Les's name was left out and Bob's name was spelled incorrectly. It won't "happen" again.

Flash! Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sisk are now the proud parents of a bouncing baby girl.

The Elks Club of Joplin gave the 1949-1950 football squad a fine banquet a few weeks ago. The boys brought their dates and all had a good time eating and dancing. Here's "thanks" to the Elks Club for the fine banquet and dance, and to the Rotary Club for the gold miniature footballs. It's nice to see the people of Joplin doing things for Junior College sports and taking an interest in them.

Rumor has it that the Elks Club will hold an "Elks night" at one of the home football games next season, similar to the "Elks night" they held at Miners Park last year. That's just rumor understand, but knowing the Elks Club and the many fine things they've done in the past, we'd say that the Elks will come through.

Note to the "big wheels": Chances are if a small college such as "EGELLOC ROINUJ NILPOJ" would send out some scouts to pick up some football and basketball talent, give them the scholarships, and find a job for them, the school would have a top notch athletic department, win more game, get more publicity, and draw more students.

Coach Ed Hughes has organized a golf team. They'll play other junior colleges in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma. Members of golf team are Jimmy (Buggs) Thomas, Dick Shaw, Dale Hawkins, Dale Shellhorn, and Fritz Kauffman.

We learn from Porter Wittich's column that "Bugger" has had two rounds of 68, three under par at Schifferdecker so far this season.

Our congratulations to Coach Russ Kaminsky, Eddie Deatherage and the Joplin High School Eagles. Just in case you haven't heard, the Eagles are the Champion basketball team of the state. Eddie hit the hoop in the second over-time period to win the championship for the Eagles. He was also high man for the game with 21 points. Kirkwood was the squad that bowed to Joplin.

It is not very often that you find a coach who can coach football and basketball equally well. Russ Kaminsky is one of the chosen few.

New sports writer Rex Newmen, Jr., 1949 JJC graduate who is now attending MU, wrote the story of the State Championship game between Joplin and Kirkwood for the Joplin Globe.

Jack Perry is our choice for the best bet to make the grade in (Please turn to Page 4, Column 5.

# STUDENT-FACULTY BASKETBALL GAME

The basketball game between the YWCA Luncheon Club and the Faculty was indeed rare. The YMCA court was packed and everyone enjoyed the game.

Jim Randall, news editor of radio station KFSB, wrote a story on the game for a "Little Giant" newscast. We obtained a copy from Jim for the benefit of all of you who didn't happen to hear it on the radio.

Jim also wrote a story for United Press and for International News.

Here are those stories that put Joplin Junior College on the map for one day. Our sincere thanks to Jim Randall, who, incidentally, is a former student of Junior College.

As it was heard in the region over KFSB newscasts:

"Randall 2-8-50 KFSB News "A basketball game—the likes of which no sane basketball ever bounced in before—was played this morning. And it pulled a capacity SRO audience into the YMCA gym.

"It was a Joplin Junior College sponsored affair—with faculty members on one side—members of the College YMCA Luncheon Club on the other. KFSB sports director, Stan Barron, as referee was in the middle. Doctors think he will recover.

"The College faculty team called itself the Hydrogen Atoms Quintet. But the aliases they used—so you, the dear public, would never know—were zanier than the team name. To mention a few—"Jake the Mountain Boy" was government teacher, Irwin—Alley Oop was Dean Flood—"Little Willie" was Mr. Willy, Pro-

fessor of Chemistry—"Luke the Mountain Boy" was none other than Dr. Stevick—Jess Eastman played the role of Joe Palooka—Mr. Pentecost was the "Lone Ranger"—Ronald Robson was "Freckles"—Glee Adams was "Lil Abnner"—and Mr. McClymond was fast-talkin but slow dribbling "Walter Winchell".

"The water boys—in much better "shape" than either team—were curvaceous cuties of the College campus, Patsy Miller, Celia Braeckel, and Margie Pflug.

"Everything goes" they said before the game started—and it did. The faculty members even tried using a ladder once to get the ball in the hoop. Barron called one personal foul because he didn't like the look on a player's face. Women faculty members played stirring music during the game. Oh, yes—the score—it ended up 9 to 9. Officials called the game because of darkness—after a faculty member found the the fuse box and pulled the switch."

As the story appeared through the world wide facilities of United Press:

"KPR 18B UP., Joplin, Mo.—Joplin was the scene of a unique basketball game today. The game began about noon and was called "because of darkness" with the score nine to nine. One of the players found a fuse box and pulled the electric switch.

"The burlesque was between teams comprised of masculine members of the Joplin Junior College faculty and members of the College "Y" Luncheon Club. They played to a packed auditorium."

# Lions Sink Pirates--Overtime

After trailing throughout the entire game, the JJC Lions defeated the Pirates from Trenton JC in an overtime period.

Although the Pirates led at the half time 26-17, the Lions stepped up their pace the second half and the game ended in a 45-45 tie.

In the overtime, Doug Sorage, Lion forward, swept under the basket for a set up and contributed a free throw for a total of three points; then he fouled out. Jack Perry, the other Lion forward, added another free throw. In this same period the Pirates scored only two charity tosses out of six tries.

John Dunlap of the Pirates took game scoring honors by sending eight field goals and six free throws through the loops for 22 points. Doug Sorage topped the Lions with 13 points.

This conference victory, which was the Lions' first in the Missouri State Rublis Junior College Association race, moved them into seventh place.

# GYM COURSES CREATE INTEREST

The girls gym classes are offering a varied course—along with the bowling classes scheduled for this semester.

Mrs. Downer is teaching senior life saving as a follow up to the swimming course given the first nine weeks of school. The following girls have begun work on this course: Nancy Anne Williams, Minnie Kolkmeier, Pat Miller, Marjorie Pflug, Doris Hirshey, Mary Walker, Celia Braeckel, Paulia Howard, and Joan Norton.

The Kappas and Betas are also making plans to hold a bowling tournament as another extra-curricula activity for the girls. The meetings for the tournament will be held after school at the Fourth Street Bowl, providing enough transportation is available.

# Lions Defeat Monett

With only one remaining game to play, victory number six brought Joplin Junior College's court squad to a .375 percentage for the season. They defeated the Monett Blue Devils 77-57 in a conference game after overcoming an early 18-6 lead. With this win, Joplin ended their conference play in seventh place.

Although the Lions got off to a slow start and at one time were trailing by 12 points, they rallied before the half which stood 27-26 in favor of the Green and Gold.

The second half was fast and furious with the Lions keeping the lead all the way until the final whistle.

High scoring honors went to Jack Perry, Lion forward, with 20 points. Dale Williams, forward for the Blue Devils, had 11 counters.

This game was the Lions' second win over the boys from down under. Earlier they traveled to Monett for a 59-52 win.

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Craig, forward .....	8
Clay, forward .....	9
Priaux, center .....	4
Castagno, guard .....	5
Perry, forward .....	5
Perry, forward .....	20
Allen, guard .....	0
Koler, guard .....	0
Carlin, guard .....	4

# LIONS DEFEATED BY INDEPENDENCE

Independence cagemen jumped into an early lead and held it throughout the game to beat Joplin for their second time this season by a score of 64-56. Earlier in the season the Kansans edged the Lions by a two-point margin.

The Lions tied the Kansans in charity tosses with 14 apiece. For game scoring honors Jack Perry, Lion forward, tied with Bill Criman, Independence center, with 17 points apiece. But the Kansans had more consistent hitting from the field which made the difference.

# LIONS DROP GREYHOUNDS

Furnishing a good reason for festivity on St. Valentine's Day, the Joplin Junior College Lions gained revenge for an earlier defeat at the hands of Fort Scott Junior College by plastering the Greyhounds at Memorial Hall 50-33. The Green and Gold led from the very outset, making their shots count and out-rebounding the visitors in the first half. At intermission time, the score stood 20-10, favor the home forces, who added to their margin through the second session.

Although not setting any records for personal fouls called, the game still was not one to be ranked among the more quiet variety. There were 18 personal fouls against the visitors, and 25 violations against the Lions. Edgar Craig and Jim Castagno, two (Please turn to Page 4, Column 5)

# Lions Lose To Jeff City Bears

In a wild free scoring game the Bears from Jefferson City defeated the JJC Lions 70-64 in a conference game.

After leading 38-26 at half time, the Bears held their offensive attack to a ten point lead over the Lions until the final minutes of the game when the Green and Gold staged a rally.

Jack Perry of Joplin found his range at the opening whistle and scored ten field goals and four free throws for a total of 24 points to take scoring honors. Englehart of Jefferson City looped in nine field goals and two free throws for 20 points and second honors before he was called out on personal fouls.

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## Alumni News

Kenneth D. Patterson, who attended JJC in 1943, completed his work for his Master's degree at the University of Wyoming in December. Kenneth majored in geology.

Wanda Muhlenburg (1945) graduated from M. U. in '49 and now is a dietitian intern at Harper Hospital in Detroit, Michigan.

Lee McNeel (1943) graduated from Washington University Medical School in '47 and now is the medical resident with two assistant residents at the Missouri Baptist Hospital in St. Louis.

Miss Marion Barnhart (1940) has been instructor in the Zoology Department of M. U. for several years. She expects to complete work for her Ph. D. this summer. She won the Atomic Energy Commission Fellowship which permits her to devote full time to finishing the necessary research for her degree.

Miss Dorothy Hancock was married January 28 at the First Methodist Church in Carthage to John Tipping. They are living in Columbia.

Mae Williams, a student at Joplin Junior last semester, was married to Richard Newton January 29.

LaVerne Reis of Carl Junction is soon to be married to Charles Miller, a former student of Junior College.

Lonny Chapman, who attended J.H.S. and Joplin Junior College, is one of the principals in the Broadway play, "Come Back Little Sheba", which recently opened in New York. He has received countless honors at the University of Oklahoma where he is a senior. He has been described as the most promising O. U. drama department product since VanHeflin, who was there twenty years ago.

The engagement of Miss Jane Marie Williams to Buddy Ball has been announced. Jane graduated from JJC in 1949. Both of the young people are now attending K.S.T.C.

Janet Adele Switzer, a graduate of Joplin Junior College and the Missouri University, was married February 3 to Carl Irwin Huss. They are living in Tulsa.

The engagement of Miss Virginia Jean Wood to Robert Gene Steinbeck has been announced. Virginia, a former student of JJC is now a senior at M. U.

Doris Johlf is to be married to Samuel G. Peek March 5 in the Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Jack Fitzer is to be married April 7 at the Pine Street Baptist Church in Nevada to Gwendolyn McClellan of Nevada. Jack served three years in the Navy and graduated from JJC. He is now a student in the engineering school at the Missouri University.

Richard Lobo, former Joplin Junior College student, who is now in the Department of Meteorology, Washington, D. C., stopped for a visit last week. Mr. Lobo is on his way to a vacation in California.

Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested—

## Dr. Park Speaks In Assembly

The students and faculty of Joplin Junior College heard an inspiring lecture at the assembly hour Wednesday, March 8. The speaker, Dr. No Yong Park, an eminent lecturer, author, and recognized authority on Far Eastern affairs, spoke on China's part in world affairs.

Dr. Park's lecture dealt mostly with the problem of China and the Communist threat. He cited many examples of American aid to China and stated that "the Chinese people have been pleased with the aid and friendship of America, for which they will be forever grateful."

He charged America with literally "sleeping on the job" as far as the Asiatic problem is concerned. Though America has had good intentions, its "hands off" policy and its blunders in diplomatic measures led to the Pearl Harbor incident and is now largely responsible for the Communist threat in China.

Dr. Park strongly advised us to be ever alert and, as peace-loving members of the greatest democracy on earth, to demand a better foreign policy in Asia. He also charged each individual to develop his own knowledge of China, of its problems and needs, of its relationship to other nations.

Dr. Park gave us much to think about China's welfare.

### NOTED PSYCHOLOGIST

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At one o'clock a sociology class on "The Family" and others not in the class learned about the peculiar traits of the human character. This group found that a person may energetically go about one thing to suppress a desire to do something else that he knows is wrong. People will also try to cover up their own mistakes by placing the guilt on someone else.

Speaking in a city-wide faculty meeting later in the afternoon, Dr. Schwegler discussed "Functional Education vs. Formal Education; while in his talk at a dinner meeting at Blaine Hall, he outlined three classifications for habits. These are: emotional habits, which are parts of the machinery nature has endowed to man; thinking habits, devices for taking care of emergency situations, and skill habits, such as voice and the ability to read.

Miss Vera Steininger and Miss Ada Coffey, former students of Dr. Schwegler, were especially appreciative of his visit.

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## KAPPAS PORTRAY HISTORY

History has again been repeated. Events, dating back to the 1600's, occurred for the second time as a result of a Junior College assembly presented by the Alpha Kappa Mu sorority.

During a lecture by Harry Gockel on patriotic affairs, Celia Braeckel, president of the sorority, interrupted and finally convinced Mr. Gockel that visual education was a far better and more modern method of teaching history. The assembly was turned over to her for further proof.

To start the scenes, the Kappas carried us back several hundred years to a few worried Pilgrims, searching desperately for the famous Plymouth Rock. The Pilgrims were followed by Pocahontas and Captain John Smith, who entered a terrifying war dance with the Indians.

The scene changed and George Washington was scolded for cutting down the cherry tree. Patrick Henry, in an exchange of magazines, gave his "Life" for "Liberty"; and Paul Revere made his famous midnight ride on a stick horse with shouts of "The Betas are coming".

In song and dance, the Stamp Act and the Sugar Act were portrayed, but the Intolerable Acts were so intolerable that they could not be repeated.

The Boston Tea Party was celebrated with a shower of tea bags upon the audience from the balcony above. Once more the telegram and telegraph were invented.

Abraham Lincoln was present to free those slaves who had been in bondage. The emancipation of women was an event to be rejoiced.

The Declaration of Independence was granted to a husband in Reno, Nevada, on the grounds of burnt toast, and the poor wife lamented with a cry of "I Ain't Got Nobody."

In later years, Uncle Sam and Molotov engaged in a very cold war of ice cubes, and still later, in 1950, history was still being made with a search for an "honest" man like George Washington.

Genevieve Bauman, Celia Braeckel, Janice Everhard, Barbara Hamilton, Ermanell Joslin, Joan Muhlenburg, Loretta Gullette, Shirley Merritt, Delores Owen, Jeanne Rataczak, Mary Walker, Mary Lou Williamson, Marjorie Dennison, Mary Ellen Hinkle, Kathleen Lee, Marinell Longstreet, Marlene McCune, Charlene Mosena, Jean Richards, Berna Jean Taylor, June Sillaway, Marcella Thorpe, Zelma Shafer,

## XGI CLUB SPONORS NEW ACTIVITY

When the XGI Club of Joplin Junior College was formed, there were those who greeted it with a tongue-in-the-cheek attitude and some even went so far as to predict its early demise. These were not necessarily idle prophecies but rather they were to some extent based upon valid observations.

One such organization had failed in the past, and at the time the XGI Club was organized there were only a few veterans clubs in colleges and universities throughout the United States. However, the need for such an organization at JJC was clearly recognized, and in the face of those early predictions it was organized.

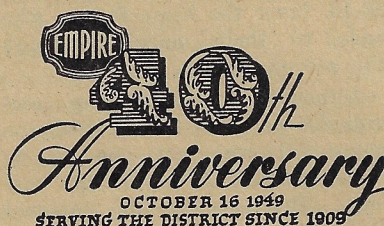
The XGI Club has not been without the usual setbacks; on the contrary, it has often floundered and at times it has seemed as if there were as many different opinions as there were members. However, these differences of opinion are a display of the interest that keeps it going forward, until today the club is a recognized factor in the school and is rapidly becoming a factor in the community as well. Only recently, the XGI Club was invited to hold full membership in the Joplin Veterans Council, an organization made up of the various veterans organizations of Joplin.

In keeping with this general forward trend the XGI Club has undertaken to sponsor a series of square dances for the student body and faculty of JJC and their guests. The initial dance was well received. After giving proper credit to the other organizations who have helped and to Mrs. Downer and other members of the faculty who supported it, the XGI Club can still be proud of the part it is playing in bringing this activity to the students of JJC.

Sara Wells, Shirley Wilcox, and Mabel Sullivan participated.

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## STUDENT SENATE SPONSORS DANCE

The Student Senate sponsored the Valentine Day Dance held in the Junior College Auditorium. The committees who carried out the dance arrangements were headed by Marge Pflug, decorations; Dick Stabb, music; Jean Richards, advertising; and George Koehler, refreshments.

Music for the occasion was furnished by Forrest Wasson and his band.

### THE TIP OFF

(Continued from Page 3 Column 1) University ball. He's averaged approximately 12 points a game, has been invaluable on rebounds, and, most important, he's been a "hustler". Would like to see Jack make good on a big team. He certainly has the possibilities.

Dick Sayers, (cigar and all) former president of the student Senate here at "Juco", is now, as he has been for quite some time, affiliated with the sports department of the Joplin Globe.

Bill Grigsby (The Bem Brand man) is once again affiliated with WMBH. He can be heard each evening at 6:45 with the roundup of sports news. Doing a nice job, Bill.

David Johnson has departed for spring training.

Joe Beeler and Shannon Wheeler are still in Arizona "punchin" cattle.

Think Mrs. Downer has been doing a fine job with girls physical education this year. You should hear her a callin' at a square dance.

Now to untip the tip off for this issue, here's Leonard M. Leonard's formula for contentment! "Just think how happy you'd be if you lost everything you have right now—and then got it back." See ya next issue.

—Johnny Holmes.

### LIONS DROP GREYHOUNDS

(Continued from Page 3, Col. 2) unheralded members of the squad, led the way with 11 points each. A diminutive guard named Hurt did not hurt the locals much with a six point performance which was tops for his mates.

This victory was number 4 against 10 losses for the Lions, who have showed more rapid improvement as the season draws to a close.

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